

FRENCH HALT NAZI ADVANCE: RETAKE ARRAS, ABBEVILLE

Great Britain Conscripts Labor and Capital for Her Defense

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

ALEX. H. WASHBURN

Rise of the Small Cities Industries Are Following

The decentralization of industry that Henry Ford preached about years ago, halting the increase of great cities and stimulating the growth of small ones, has been coming true in recent years — and will receive further help as the United States government launches its current program for war material factories throughout the nation. Chamber of Commerce officials should note that federal plans call not for the enlargement of present factories but the creation of new ones well removed from the sea coast. The description would fit our own city.

Mark M. Smyth, Ritchie Official, Dies Wednesday

Was Vice-President of
the Wholesale Grocer-
ery Co.

BURIAL THURSDAY

Had Been a Resident of
Hope for 19
Years

Mark Marion Smyth, 63, Hope grocery executive, died at his home on South Main street about 9:15 a. m. Wednesday of an heart attack after being ill two weeks.

Born in Sedalia, Mo., Mr. Smyth had lived in Hope 10 years. He was branch manager and vice-president of the Ritchie Grocer company, and had been connected with the grocery business for 40 years.

He was a member of First Methodist church of Hope, of which he was a steward.

Funeral services will be held at the Methodist church Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with burial in the DeAn cemetery at Prescott.

He is survived by his widow, one daughter, Mrs. Marian Buchanan of Hope, one sister, Mrs. N. B. Price of Shreveport, and one grandson, Mark Buchanan of Hope.

Palholders

Honoraries — Stewards of First Methodist Church, and R. N. Benson, J. H. Alpin, E. D. Rucks, G. E. Wilson, J. K. Mahoney, J. P. Garrison all of El Dorado; J. D. Reynolds, Garland Huct, W. J. May, R. T. Holloman all of Camden; Thomas C. McFae, Dr. Al Buchanan, Dan Pittman, Charlie Pittman, all of Prescott; R. H. Wilmoth, W. M. Pafford, both of Texarkana; Dr. Don Smith and C. C. Spraggins of Hope; and J. G. Thompson of Alexandria, La.

Active: Charles Walker, H. L. Hangelan, T. H. Webb, C. D. Dickinson, Ralph Smith, all of Hope; and H. J. Wilson of Prescott.

It is said that the left hand freezes more rapidly than the right hand.

CRANIUM CRACKERS

Mostly Musical
The good student of music should be able to answer the following questions without any difficulty. Consider yourself both a student of literature and music, in fact.

1. Almost every night before he retired the diarist Samuel Pepys played his violin, flute, piano, harmonium? Name instrument.

2. The Bible says that the walls of Jericho were destroyed by: timbrel, harp, trumpet, psaltery, cymbals?

3. What is a wivern?

4. Samuel Coleridge-Taylor, composer of choral music, was born of an African father and English mother in Africa, America, Australia, England, Scotland?

5. Which was invented first, the saxophone or the trombone?

Answers on Page Two



Today's map of the war shows, in heavy black line, the German advance toward the English Channel. The Berlin government has claimed that Nazi troops have reached the Channel and cut off over a million men.

Dictator Powers Are Voted to the Prime Minister

Churchill Government
Wins on One-Day
Debate

TO REPEL ATTACK

British Isles Prepared
for Any Nazi In-
vasion

London — (P) — Britain's parliament Wednesday night invested the government with dictatorial powers to conscript labor and wealth to strengthen the nation's shield against a German invasion.

Within three hours the House of Commons and the House of Lords passed to King George an approved bill giving Winston Churchill's government unprecedented and sweeping war emergency powers demanded "in view of the grave peril in which the nation stands today."

These are the factors which determine industrial locations; these, plus the other requisite — capital.

The government's engaging in the financing of new factories will side-step part of the small city's problem of finding capital; and we should do everything in our power to get new industry for our city at this time.

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The slowly-forming picture of the 1940 federal census bears out the theory that industry and population are growing in the small cities rather than the large ones.

As previously reported, unofficial counts by local enumerators give Hope an increase of between 20 and 25 per cent over the 1930 figures.

Sizeable increases also are reported in the secondary cities of Mississippi. The West Point (Miss.) Times Leader, owned by my friend Edgar G. Harris, former Blytheville (Ark.) Courier News publisher, reports that Starkville, Miss., increased from 3,612 to 5,004, West Point from 4,677 to 5,546 (Incomplete), and Tupelo from 6,361 to 8,188.

Which leads Editor Harris to remark:

"That the trend of population is away from the larger cities is attested by the fact that Birmingham gained only 4,473 in the decade, and that Chattanooga increased only 8,443. Cities are slipping; people are moving into the suburbs and into the smaller towns and villages."

And industry is headed for the small cities, too.

Nazis Claim Million Trapped

German Sub and Plane
Bases in World War I

Dunkirk

Abbeville

Main German Drive

Arras

Paris

NEA Telephoto Map

Annual Audit of City Reported to Council Session

New Budget Plan Sub-
mitted by McDuffie,
Stewart & Co.

GIVE STREET DATA

Proposal for \$2,582
Repair Job on South
Main St.

The city council Tuesday night heard an annual audit report on the city and municipal water & light plant records.

The report, submitted by A. V. McDuffie of McDuffie, Stewart & Co., Little Rock, also included a proposed budget for the coming year. The council deferred action on the budget until it could meet with Mayor W. S. Atkins. The financial statement and the proposed budget will be published at a later date.

W. T. Smith appeared before the council in behalf of the American Legion and asked the city to furnish one tank for the track at Fair park. The council agreed to furnish one tank of oil for the track at fair park. The council agreed to furnish one tank if the Legion matched this with another tank.

A resolution was adopted to allow the Cemetery Association \$75 to repair the fence and make other improvements.

A motion was made that a resolution be drawn up and submitted to the council, requesting the state Highway Commission to include in its 1941 program a grade-separation project for Hazel street or at another point on the Missouri Pacific to be designated later.

A motion was made and passed that the city appropriate up to \$600 for additional repairs on East third street from Edgewood to Main streets.

T. H. Butler, city street commissioner, submitted a report to the council on improvement work done by the street department.

Charles O. Thomas, water & light plant manager, submitted an estimate on the cost of repairing South Main street. The approximate cost with the aid of the highway department is \$2,582. The total cost was estimated at \$4,375.25.

No action was taken.

75 Persons Visit the Sewing Room

Displayed Garments
are Interesting to
Visitors

On the first day of "This Work Pays Your Community Week," the WPA sewing room was visited by 75 interested business and professional men and women.

Garments of all kinds were on display. Groups of women dressed in uniforms were making garments, each worker making a part of the garment and passing it on to the next worker.

The visitors paused longer to admire the overalls made by this group and also the new buttonhole attachment sewing room.

The sewing room will be open to the public the balance of this week and everyone is urged to come and see what this project does for your community.

Saints say the human eye can recognize 2,000,000 different shades of color.

Marriage Licenses

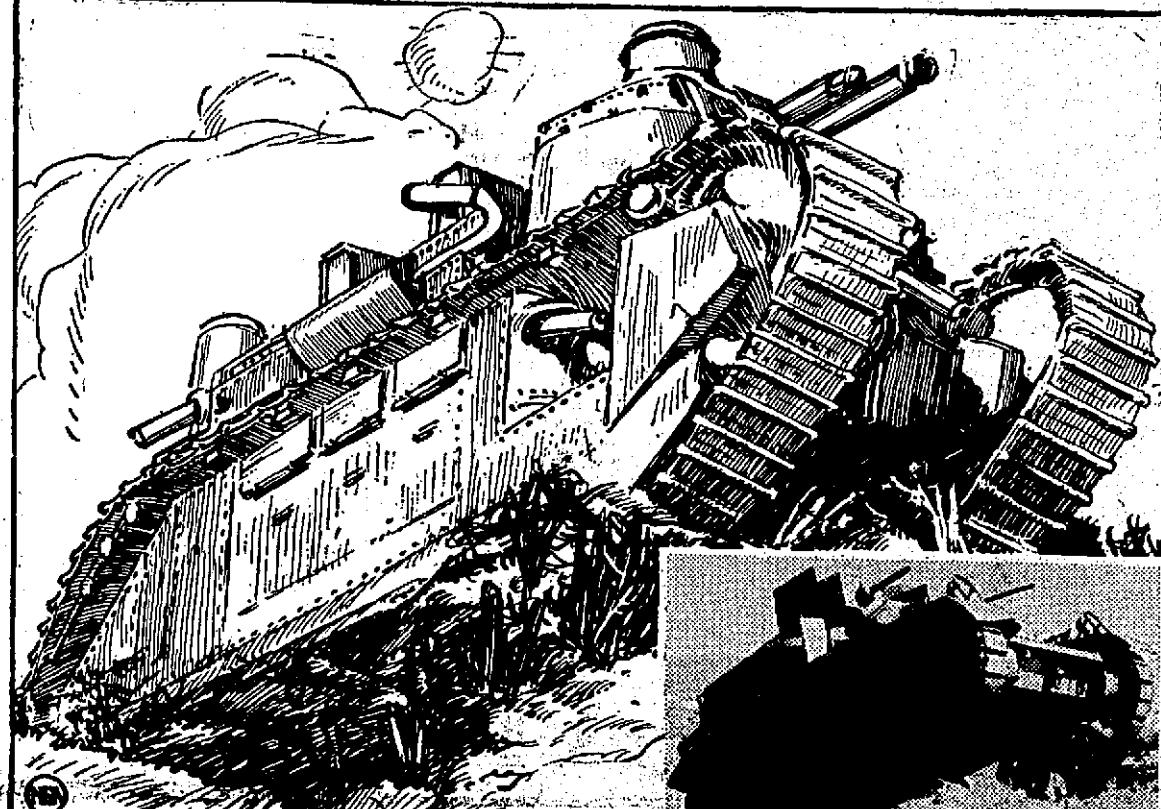
The following marriage licenses have been issued by County Clerk Frank Hill at the Hempstead county courthouse.

Negroes
Harvey Brown 26, Blevins; and
Josephine Davis 21, Hope.

A. B. Harris 31, Hope, and Martha Berry 42, Gurdon.

William Royston 22, and Lizzie Bell Watkins, both of Blevins.

Comparing 10-Ton U.S. Tank to European Giant



This gives you an idea of the size of the 70-ton and 80-ton tanks the Germans and French are reported using. The sketch shows how the rolling fortresses would stack up against a U. S. Army tank of about 10 tons, reduced to approximate scale in the picture. Army men in America have not into the combat zone only by railroad and because few highway bridges and no military bridges will bear their weight.

Wildlife Ass'n to Meet May 28

Annual Session Next
Tuesday at Place to
be Named

The Hempstead County Wildlife association will hold its annual meeting Tuesday night, May 28, 7 p. m. The committee will select a place for the meeting and notify through The Star.

The meeting will begin with a fish fry for all the members of the organization and plans are being made to provide plenty of fish and everything that goes with a fish fry. Dewey Hendrix will have charge of the culinary department which guarantees quality and quantity.

Only members of the organization in good standing are invited to attend, and all who have not paid their dues for 1940 are urged to do so at once if they wish to be present.

T. J. Gay, of Little Rock, President of the Arkansas Wildlife association, has been invited to attend, also D. N. Graves, secretary, and Tom Mull, educational director of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission.

At this meeting new officers and directors of the Hempstead County Wildlife association will be elected for the coming year. Officers to be elected are president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer. One director will be elected from each township in Hempstead county and four at large.

A. C. Monts, who so ably handled the general arrangements last year, will have charge again this year, and Lloyd Spencer, president, will preside at the business session.

The sewing room will be open to the public the balance of this week and everyone is urged to come and see what this project does for your community.

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Entries Wanted in Nashville Show

Purple Ribbons for An-
imals Classifying
90 Pct.

NASHVILLE — Plans are shaping up for the big Dairy Day show to be staged in Nashville Wednesday, May 29. According to Paul N. Eddlemon, Howard county agent, much interest is being manifested by local farmers.

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A Thought

And if ye walk contrary unto me, and will not hearken unto me; I will bring seven times more plagues upon you according to your sins. — Leviticus 26:21.

Program for High School Graduation

"American Way of
Life," Theme at
7:30 Thursday

The 1940 graduating exercises of Hope High School will be held Thursday night at the High School building.

On account of the inclemency of the weather, the school authorities have announced that the program will be held in the auditorium. Dr. J. Edward Sanders will give the class address, while the four highest ranking seniors will discuss the theme of the program, "The American Way of Life."

The Class of 1940 is the largest class in the history of the school, numbering 83.

The program Thursday night will begin at 7:30. The public is invited.

Following is the program.

Processional, Senior class.

Invocation, Rev. Thos. C. Brewster.

Music, "Sanctus" from St. Cecilia Mass (Gounod); "Have You For- gotten" (Andantino) (Lemare-Neil), Gleb Club, Thomas Cannon, director.

"The American Way of Life" — True Americanism," E. P. Young Jr.; "Children in a Democracy," Elsie Worman; "Education for American Way of Life," Joyce Wells; "Code of Living," Verla Allen.

Cornet Solo, "Liebestraum" (Liszt), Wallace Van Sickle.

Class Address, Dr. J. E. Sanders, Hendrix College.

Solo, "Down in the Forest" (Ronald)

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Will Form Adult Home Ec Class

Miss Ruth Taylor to be
the Class In-
structor

Miss Ruth Taylor, home economics

instructor of Hope High school, will organize an adult class to instruct the women of Hope and Hempstead county in problems of clothing construction.

The class is to be organized Friday,

May 24, at 3 p. m. at the high school

home economics cottage.

Women who have attended the adult

classes previously held by Miss Taylor

feel they have received much benefit.

Anyone interested is invited and the

class is free to all.

NEW YORK — October cotton

opened at \$5.22, closed 8.67. Middling spot 9.96.

COTTON

SOCIETY

Daisy Dorothy Heard, Editor Telephone 768

Social Calendar

Thursday, May 23
Study Class of Women's Misionary Society of the First Methodist church, the church, 3 p.m.
Thursday Bridge Club, 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Lile to Depart This Week-end for Shreveport
Dr. and Mrs. L. M. Lile invited a number of their friends on Tues-

RIALTO NOW
WAYNE MORRIS
ROSEMARY LANE
"Return of Doctor X"

— and —

"Mexican Spit Fire"

SAENGER NOW

"MAN FROM DAKOTA"

Thursday -- Friday

Matinee Thursday



Eternally Yours

STARRING LORETTA YOUNG · NIVEN DAVID HUGH HERBERT · BILLIE BURKE C. AUBREY SMITH · BRODERICK CRAWFORD · ZASU PITTS · VIRGINIA FIELD · RAYMOND WALBURN

Coming Sunday
"MY SON, MY SON"

Wonder whatever became of....?



Did his classmates lose track of him? How could they? He was the sort of friend that all of us would want to keep... mostly because of his understanding slant on life and people and things. He was active in athletics, yet his studies never suffered... nor did overwork cheat him of recreation and relaxation. Light-hearted, yet serious when problems faced him... always master of his worries. He avoided idlers, but added constantly to his circle of sincere friends. He was courageous without being reckless, confident without being cocksure... moderate in all things. Everybody said he'd make good. He has.

If you, too, like everything in moderation, you'll like Budweiser, the Beverage of Moderation. You can count upon it anytime to be a pleasant companion and, when you entertain, Budweiser is a Perfect Host.

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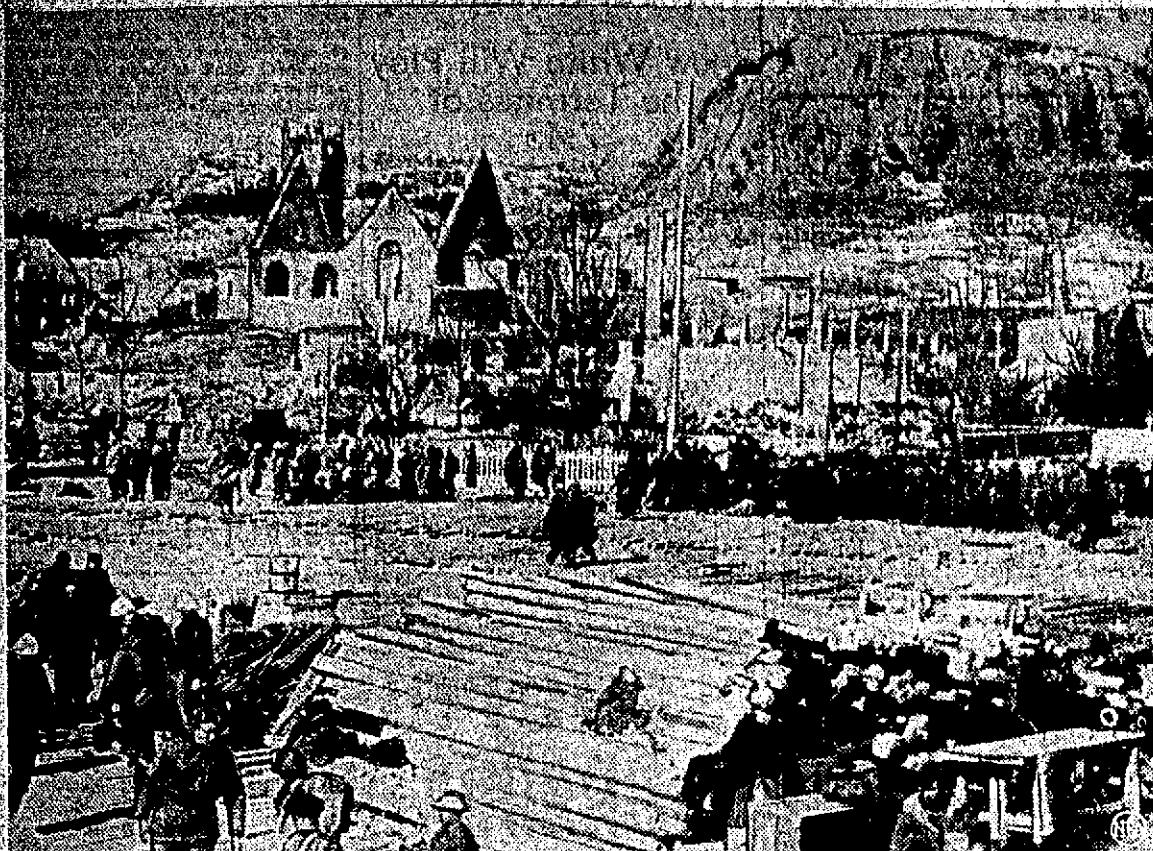
MAKE THIS TEST: Drink Budweiser for five days. On the sixth day try to drink a sweet beer. You will want Budweiser's flavor thereafter.



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Exit the Allies—Enter the Germans



Against a background of charred heaps that was once the town of Namsos, Norway, members of the Allied Northwestern Expeditionary Force are shown preparing to embark in final withdrawal from central Norway. Photo was taken by a member of the crew of H. M. S. Bittern.

Refugee Children, Innocent War Victims, Appeal to America's Heart for Survival



DEATH-DEALING airplanes ride the skies. The carnage of their creation sweeps many lands. Armored tanks and motorized artillery roll across whole countries destroying as in a blight; all standing in their way. Cattle, crops, homes, people—innocent and defenseless children—stand in fear, then in despair, only to fall into destruction. Some will live. They must be aided to endure, to struggle on, to survive."

This was the message directed to America's generous heart by Chairman Norman H. Davis of the American Red Cross, in asking prompt contributions to a \$10,000,000 war relief fund to be spent by the Red Cross for help to military and civilian wounded, and the homeless people of the warring nations.

"We must send relief as needed and not too late to be of use," Mr. Davis said. "We must send clothing, bedding, shoes, medications, surgical dressings and food."

Before the most recent devastation of neutral countries by aerial blitzkrieg was begun, the American Red Cross had sent 320,000 garments, knitted sweaters and hospital clothes for the women and children victims in England, Finland, France, Germany-occupied Po-

Bombed from their homes, these young victims of ruthless war, have received Red Cross help. 1. Little Belgian evacuee; 2. A Polish refugee lad, thankful for his Red Cross shoes; 3. English children, evacuated from their homes, proud of their Red Cross dresses.

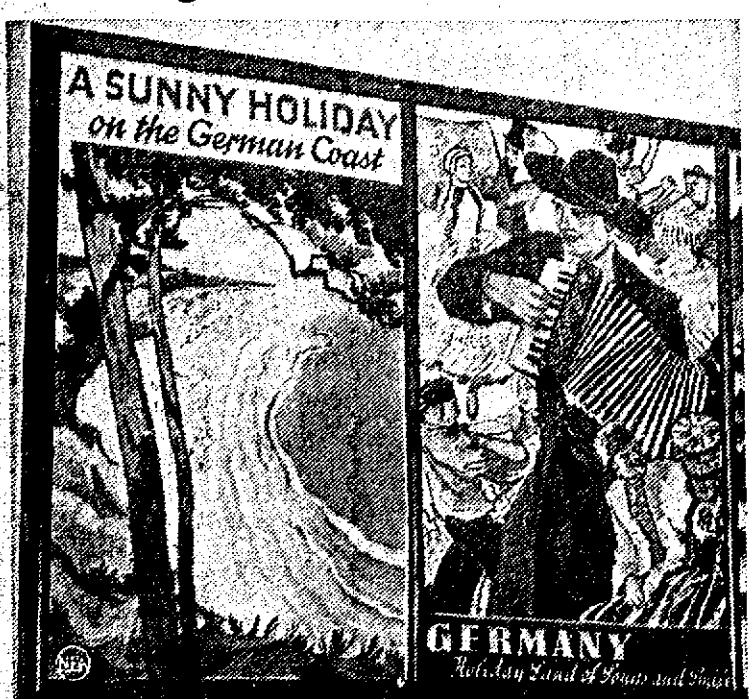
land and for Polish refugees in other countries. To the Red Cross societies of the nations engaged in battle, the Red Cross sent 933,000 surgical dressings. These garments and surgical dressings were made in 1,500 Red Cross Chapters throughout America. In addition, the American Red Cross purchased medicines, shoes, blankets, knitted underwear and almost a thousand other items at a cost of \$1,500,000.

Juliana's Husband Returns to Fight



Having brought his wife, Netherlands Crown Princess Juliana, and his two young royal daughters to London's safety, German-born Prince Bernhard of Lippe-Biesterfeld (pictured above in happier days) returned to Zealand to fight with Dutch, still stubbornly resisting his former countrymen.

Planning Your Vacation?



There's a tough war on in Europe, but maybe the censorship has concealed it from the German Railroads Information Bureau in New York. Or perhaps they're just ignoring it. These posters, suggesting a "sunny holiday" in "Germany, the land of songs and smiles," are displayed in the tourist office window.

How Nazi Army Overcomes Defense Moves



NEA Service Telephone
Retreating Allied forces destroyed this bridge (background) in Belgium but that did not stop German advance—infantry crossed the river in rubber boats and continued forward.

Model Champion



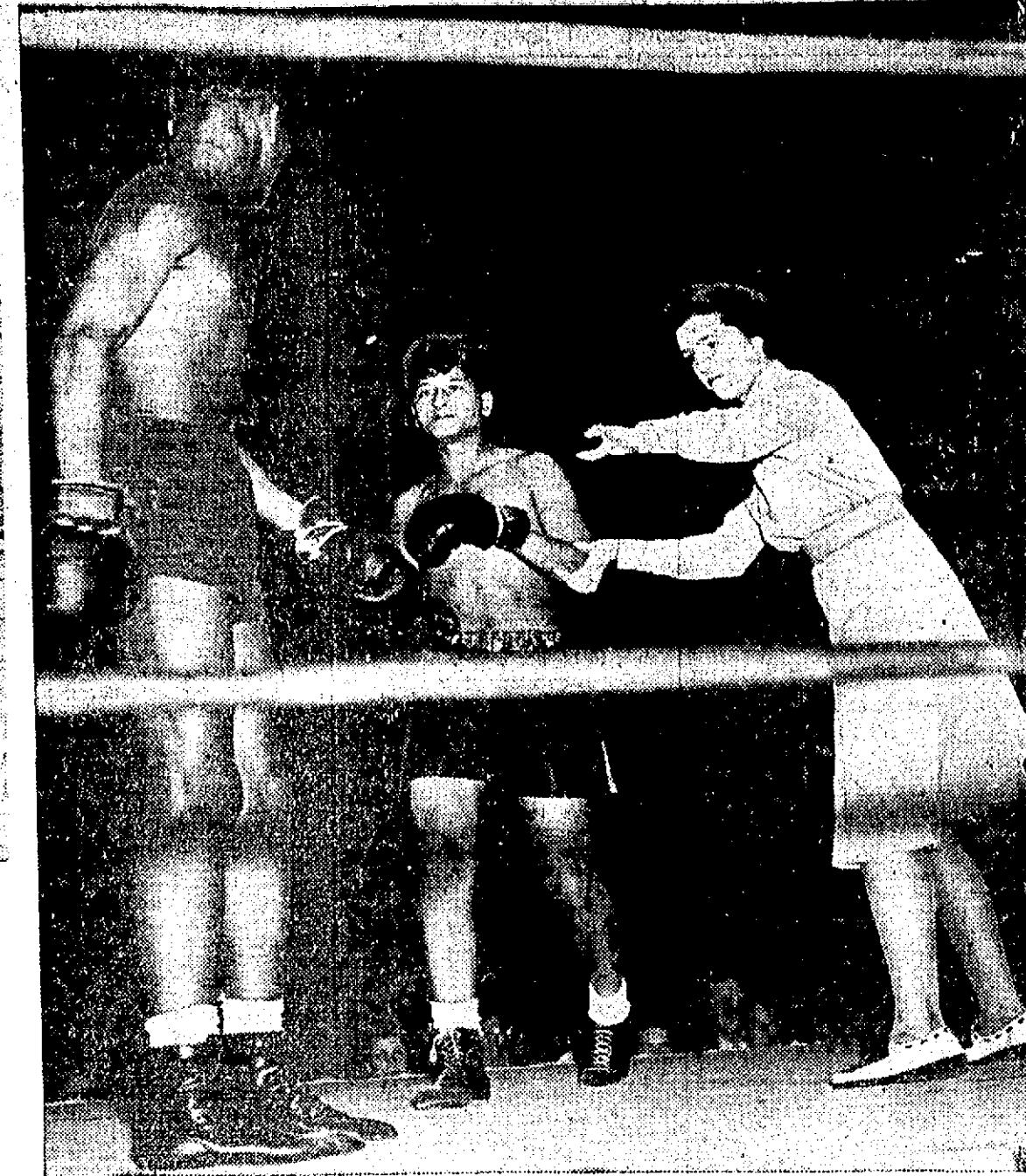
Proof that war pictures are not the only kind that Britishers see these days is seen in this photo of golden blonde Rae Fuller. Spectators at recent Royal Academy show saw her likeness in a dozen different paintings, which made her, for the fourth successive time, the model most popular among England's ace artists.

She's a Queen in Good Standing



Taking a firm stand for graceful carriage, comely Helen Dillard, of New York, was rewarded with the bouquet of orchids she holds and the title of "America's Queen of Posture" at a recent contest at Lido Beach, L. I.

First Woman Referee Puts Pugilism in Pugilism



What the well-dressed referee is wearing becomes a fashion note as Mrs. Belle Martell makes her bow in southern California as the first woman fight referee. Mrs. Martell leads Freddie Contreras out for instructions in a match with Georgie Field in Los Angeles. She counts 'em out, too.

Backstopping French Counter-attack



Although great forces of French tanks and infantry have been hurled forward to counter German thrusts across the Meuse River, these great guns of the Maginot Line's underground forts stand ready to bark. Photo taken during recent firing practice.

Swiss Tanks Ready to Roll



SWISS DEFENDERS stood in final readiness as masses of German motorized divisions across the Rhine from Basel indicated Nazis were poised for possible invasion of the tiny country. Above, a column of Swiss tanks ready for action.

Protecting Paris from Air Raids



In front of the Grand Palais of the Champs Elysees . . . a beautiful Paris park converted into a series of anti-aircraft stations.

Bell Leads Hope Team to Victory

Robins Team to Play Here Thursday Afternoon

Behind the 7 hit pitching of 15 year old Sedford Bell, the Hope baseball team defeated Magnolia Tuesday afternoon 7 to 3.

Hope will play Okay here Thursday afternoon and Lewiston will come to Hope for a doubleheader Sunday, May 26.

The Lineup follows:

Magnolia First inning: Hendrix singled to left, Speck singled to center advancing Hendrix to Second, Shatley lined out to Fountain who stepped on second doubling Hendrix, Nipper fouled to Reeves, Bell weakened and walked Staggs, forcing in Hendrix for a run, Lockett drove a long drive to deep Center and after a long run, Hern, youthful centerfield made a sensational catch ending the game.

Hope Robins	Ab.	R	H	Po.	A	E
F. Ramsey, LF	4	1	0	3	0	0
A. Shatley, 2B	5	2	2	4	1	0
G. Hern, CF	3	0	1	4	0	0
J. Fountain, SS	4	1	2	0	5	1
R. Urban, 3B	4	1	3	0	2	1
C. Messer, RP	4	0	1	1	0	0
G. Williams, 1B	3	0	0	5	0	0
Reeves, C	3	0	1	1	0	0
Sed. Bell, P	4	1	1	0	2	0
B. Elliott, 1B	1	0	2	0	0	0
Total	35	7	11	24	10	2

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H. Hendrix, 3B	4	1	1	0	0	1
Speck, SS	5	0	1	1	3	1
Shatley, P	4	1	1	1	1	0
Nipper, P, CF	4	0	1	1	1	0
Staggs, 1B	2	0	0	8	0	0
Lockett, LF	5	0	2	2	0	0
Fradley, 2B	3	1	0	0	0	0
Silvey, RP	4	0	0	1	0	0
Jameson, CF	3	0	0	0	0	0
Harper, RF	2	0	0	0	0	0
Haveman, 2B	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	37	3	7	18	5	2

Home Run: Shatley, Doubles: Urban, Layton, 2, Fountain, Hern, Nipper, Haveman. Struck out by Bell 5 in 4 innings, by Shatley 4 in 5 innings.

Vining Pit: Bell; Losing Pitcher: Nipper. Umpires: Hernman and Hunter. Time of Game 1 hour and 50 minutes.

THE STANDINGS

Southern Association		
Teams	W.	L.
Nashville	22	9
Atlanta	20	16
Little Rock	16	18
Knoxville	15	18
Birmingham	14	19
Chattanooga	13	18
New Orleans	13	22
Pct.	.710	.556

Tuesday's Results		
Little Rock	6	Nashville
Nashville	5	(12 inn.)
Atlanta	12	Birmingham
Chattanooga	11	New Orleans

Games Wednesday		
Nashville	At Little Rock.	At Williams.
Atlanta	At Birmingham.	
Knoxville	At Memphis.	
Chattanooga	At New Orleans.	

National League		
Team	W.	L.
Cincinnati	18	7
New York	14	11
Chicago	16	13
Philadelphia	11	12
St. Louis	10	17
Boston	8	15
Pittsburgh	6	17
Pct.	.720	.560

Tuesday's Results		
Brooklyn	4	Chicago
Other Games Postponed.		

Games Wednesday		
Chicago	At Philadelphia.	At New York.
Cincinnati	At Pittsburgh.	
St. Louis	At Boston.	

American League		
Team	W.	L.
Boston	19	7
Cleveland	17	10
Detroit	14	12
Washington	12	14
Philadelphia	12	14
St. Louis	10	14
Chicago	11	16
New York	10	16
Pct.	.731	.533

Tuesday's Results		
New York	9	Cleveland
Chicago	8	2
Boston	11	Detroit
Philadelphia-St. Louis	8	8

Games Wednesday		
Boston	At Cleveland.	At Detroit.
New York	At Philadelphia.	
Washington	At St. Louis.	

Newfoundland is Britain's oldest colony.

OUT OUR WAY

REMEMBER, YOU GOT TH' HEAD, TH' TAIL, TH' FINS, TH' INSIDES AN' TH' SCALES TO TAKE OFF--SO DON'T BE TOO CHESTY!

YOU COULD AT LEAST LET ME ENJOY IT TILL I WENT TO EAT IT!

By J. R. Williams

Presented by Clement Attlee, who said the ministry of labor would be given authority to direct any person to perform any services required.

I property also must be placed at the title's disposal.

Attlee asked and received, parliament's consent to speed the special legislation through Wednesday.

The excess profits tax will be raised to 100 per cent to prevent anyone from profiting from the empire's crisis.

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Cattle from the surrounding counties are being listed by the various county agents. This show covers the district of some eleven counties.

Arrangements are being made by the local committee for a location where the cattle can be made comfortable and can be exhibited to advantage.

Positions Open for United States Army

In accordance with the recent expansion program of the army the following quotas have been received by Charles G. Scott, recruiting sergeant at Texarkana:

Fort Sill, (Lawton) Oklahoma: 316

Field Artillery; 12 Quartermaster

Corps; 4 Ordnance Department.

Fort Bliss, (El Paso) Texas: 10 Signal Corps.

Camp Ord (Salinas) California: 100 Engineers.

Applicants for Signal Corps and Ordnance must possess a high school education or its equivalent.

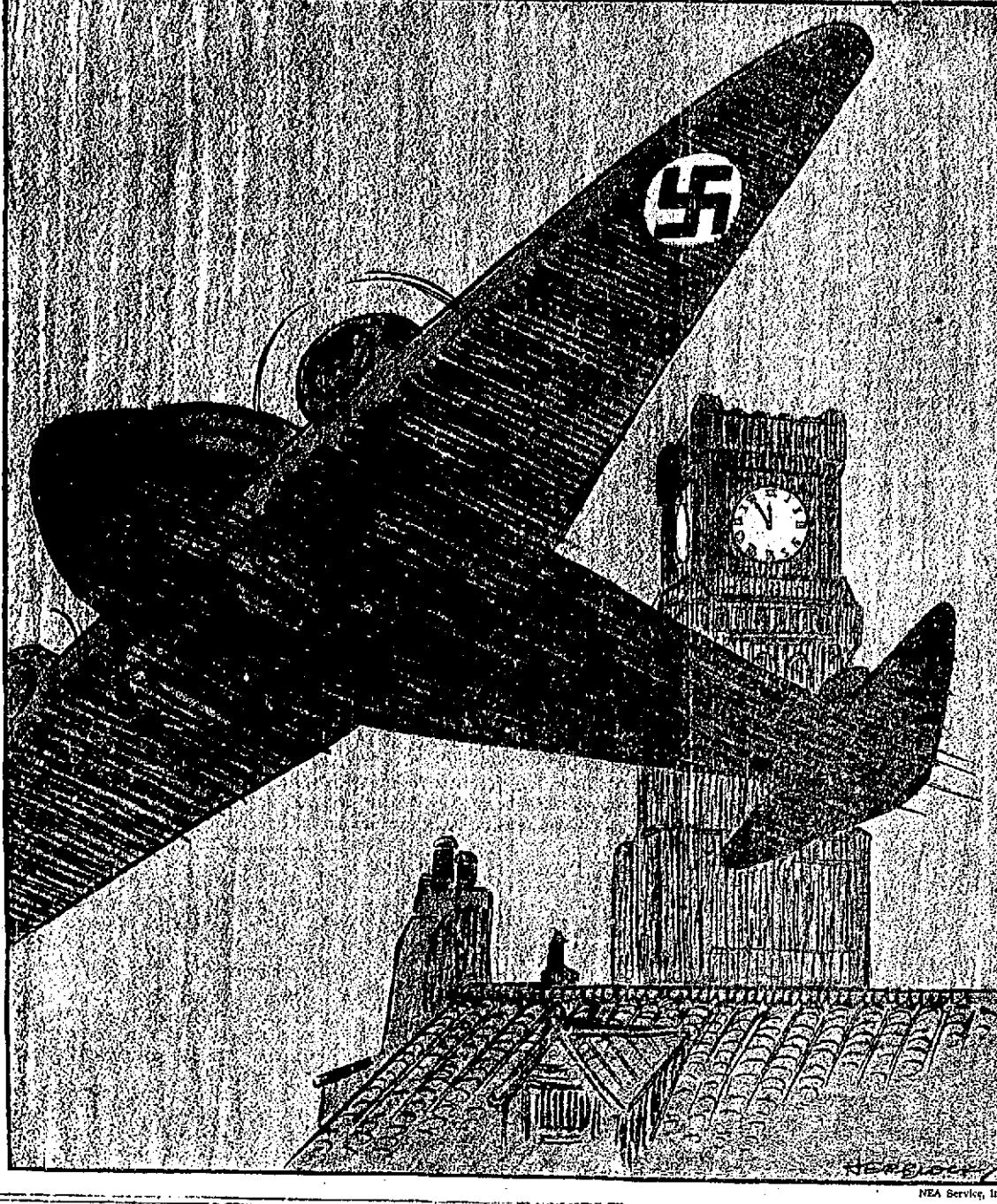
Application for above assignments may be made either in person or by letter to Texarkana.

Lt. Royce Weisenburger, Inf.-Res., who has been assisting CMTC applicants, and who assisted a number of Hempstead county young men in enlisting in the Army during 1939, will assist any persons interested in enlisting in the army at this time.

Drastic Change

A flatfish is like any other fish in his younger days, but later on he gradually turns on his side and then his sides become the top and bottom, and what once served as his upper and lower portions become his sides.

Which Will Be Turned Back?



Horse Sense

LIMA, O. —(P)— Howard Carey's horse is a lot smarter than some automobile drivers.

While Carey was delivering milk, the horse became frightened and ran a block and a half, with Carey in hot pursuit. Then the horse came to a busy intersection. The traffic light was turning red. Dobbins slid to a halt on all four.

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rally to the Allied cause "before it is too late." Recalling the Allies' rally after their setbacks at the start of the World War, the premier declared "it will be the same today if everyone wishes it so."

"There are millions of men, women and children far off who are beginning to understand that they and their futures are involved," he deplored. "May they understand before it is too late!"

When Reynaud finished, the Senate adjourned indefinitely, giving the government a free hand to cope with the crisis.

Reynaud painted a dark picture of the French military situation and accused the army high command of "incredible faults" which resulted in "the disaster, the total disorganization" of the French forces defending the Meuse. "These faults will be punished," he declared.

He admitted the Germans had taken Amiens and Aras, that Nazi forces are pouring through a 62-mile-wide breach in the French-Belgian front and "are taking in the rear of our entire fortified system" on that front.

England Bombed

LONDON — (P)— German planes bombed England Tuesday night, dropping explosives off shore and on land at two places along the southeast coast but, the Air Ministry said, without doing any damage. Anti-aircraft fire and heavy explosions over the mouth of the Thames indicated an attempted third raid.

The Air Ministry said German planes dropped bombs in two districts in the southeast of England Tuesday night. Some bombs fell on land and others in the sea." It added there were no casualties or damage reported.

One raid off the Kentish coast was in an unsuccessful attempt by a lone plane to hit anchored shipping. An air raid warning was sounded and anti-aircraft batteries as well as fighter planes went into action.

Brief but intense anti-aircraft fire drove off another German plane over the southeast coast early Wednesday morning. Fighting planes were sent out.

Anti-aircraft fire in the Thames estuary was followed by a sharp explosion and a sudden glare. Sound of gunfire over the estuary was heard.

It's Discouraging

LOGAN, O. —(P)— A shoe salesman had the right idea. Knowing that packages and bags in a car often attracted thieves, a shoe salesman affixed this sign to the window: "These cases contain half parts of shoes for salesman's samples. They are of no use to anyone but the salesman. Please do not disturb." The sign has worked.

Key West, Fla., has an elevation only 11 feet above the level of the sea.

Planes were heard and searchlights lighted the skies, but no air raid warning was sounded.

Barn Door Is Locked

LONGVIEW, Wash. —(P)— Hopie Little, roomer at a lumbermen's hotel, always shuts the window when she takes a nap now.

While Little was sleeping recently a stray cat crawled into the room and had six kittens on the bed. When Little awoke she found the cat and her litter snuggled atop her blankets.

AWANTED
Will
FIND IT!



THE LONG ARM OF THE LAW-LESS

Those new MUNSINGWEAR SKIT-Shirts are tempting, even to your roommate! They're cool knitted cotton, streamlined for freedom of motion.

Streamlined, too, are the new MUNSINGWEAR SKIT-Trunks. No buttons, no binding. Knitted cotton, with an elastic waist band for extra comfort!

SKIT-Shirts 50c SKIT-Trunks 50c

We Give Eagle Stamps The Leading Department Store

Geo. W. Robison & Co.
HOPE
NASHVILLE

Zoo Life Goes on

PERLIN — (P)— Unlike nervous London which killed or scattered its dangerous zoo animals for fear they would be released by air bombs, Berlin has kept all its animals—tigers, lions, cobras and all—on exhibition. Incidentally, the attendants bring the cub lions out to let spectators fondle them. The cubs love it.

Buckled and torn steel from the Exeter, British warship in the River Plate battle, was the first relic of World War II to be interred in London's Imperial War Museum.

Invitations were extended to the public to visit all professional and service projects and see first-hand how this work pays the community.

Entries Wanted

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and prospects are for a large show.

Everyone who owns a good cow, heifer or pure bred bull is urged to bring them for the classification. Cows and heifers do not need to be pure breeds. All animals that classify 90 per cent or better will receive purple ribbons: 80 to 90 per cent, blue ribbons; 75 to 80 per cent, red ribbons; and 70 to 75 per cent, white ribbons.

Anyone who receives a blue ribbon can be very proud of it, and

Long Distance Commuter

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Mrs. Vivian Hartman, a railroad clerk, travels 184 miles a day, six days a week, between Sacramento and her job. She works there, lives in Sacramento. After more than 100,000 miles of travel, which is by train, she still enjoys every minute of it.

BARBS

Along with the Trojan Horse, we see they're pulling the old Mahomet play too. It seems the Kaiser couldn't go to Germany, so Germany's come to him.

The thing may never come up in traffic court, but we see by the late editions that the Nad war horse just burst into France's Sedan.

From Brussels comes the report that parachuting Nazis landed in the royal palace gardens. No mention is made as to how many vehicles were crushed. Baskets were the cooking utensils of American Indians of the Yosemite valley.

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High-fashion in their grandma's day, when the Kroger company was founded, are these costumes worn by two Kroger store visitors at the opening of the company's 58th Birthday celebration. Left to right, they are Miss Betty Kubler and Miss Dorothy McCannish of Cincinnati. Serving them is William Voss, who knows that grandma never was offered such an array of fresh fruits and vegetables.

The star Arcturus can be seen from every portion of the earth except the Antarctic Circle.

Plane Trade Borrows Idea From Kitchen

BALTIMORE, Md.—(AP)—An idea borrowed from the kitchen is reducing the cost of building airplanes. It's a "double-boiler" to melt zinc with greater purity, and lengthen the life of pots in which zinc is melted. Zinc is used in making dies to form metal airplane parts. The Glenn L. Martin Company announced the new development.

Formerly, zinc was melted in pots placed directly over the fire. But heat concentrated at certain points, and the zinc took on impurities from the melting of the pot itself. The costly pots quickly eroded or "burned out."

Lead—not water as in the kitchen—is used in the bottom part of the new double-boiler. The smaller pot containing the zinc is placed inside the pot of molten lead, which distributes heat evenly.

Research men say there is no tendency for the metal pot to allow with the zinc. The "cooked" zinc is purer, thus making better dies, and they believe the inner pot will last indefinitely. Also, cheaper steel can now be used to make the zinc-melting pot.

War Economy, No Doubt

BERLIN—(AP)—Efficient Germans have cut the official greeting, "Heil Hitler," down to its barest essentials. Quite a few still say both words strongly. Others have trimmed it simply to "Hitler." But the bulk of casual greeting are simply: "Heil."

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Turning Back the Clock



Battling Enemies Toughen Dutchmen

Had Endured Centuries of Warring Neighbors

By SIGRID ARNE
AP Feature Service
Dutch stubbornness edged doggedly along the world's trade lanes for centuries before the Myrmeces built in a little strip of marshy lowland one of the world's rich empires.

The Dutch wanted to be traders and sailors. Nothing more. They wanted to make things and sell them, but often they had to lock up their cash drawers, looms and distilleries and should guns to keep others out. And each time they emerged the same stolid, callistic, hard-working people who overcame the world goods for cash on the barrelhead.

They appeared in history when Julius Caesar's troops ran over their own in 57 B.C. They stayed under Roman rule until 200 A.D. Then the Franks, from the West, pillaged their farms.

They Beat the Sea

To protect themselves the Dutch evolved a feudal system with great, fortified castles. But the baronies never congealed into a nation until around 1500 A.D. when the dukes of Burgundy began to merge them.

Behind this political history ran the dogged traders' strain and the fight against the sea. In the big towns had begun to hum. On the coast three-masters filled the harbors with forests of masts. And more and more polders were salvaged from the sea by dikes and canals and windmills.

Break the Dykes

Burgundian marriages put Holland in the hands of Austrian and Spanish rulers. These rulers were Catholics. The Dutch were largely protestant. The Catholics made forays into the country to hold the Hollanders loyal to Rome.

The Duke of Alva, with 10,000 troops, thought to stamp out protestantism by shooting. He only fanned Dutch stubbornness into fighting heat. They opened their dyes, flooded their country, and broke the Duke of Alva.

The Dutch helped Marlborough beat back Louis XIV of France but Napoleon annexed them. Then the peace of Westphalia set up both Holland and Belgium as a single nation. But the Belgians are Catholics. In 1830 they fought for independence and won it with the aid of Catholic France.

The Dutch resumed the life they really like: working, selling, saving. They had been pioneers in opening the trade routes to the Far East. They had sailed courageously into the strange and heathen harbors of the Dutch East Indies to trade. The English had had the same idea. Their rivalry came to a climax in the Seventeenth century and the Dutch won. The world didn't know then what the Dutch won. Today the Dutch East Indies (lying south of India across the equator) are one of the world's treasure troves.

Grocer to the World

So Holland sells the world (from her Indies) rubber, tin, spices, kapok, coffee, quinine and pepper (the last two are virtually Dutch monopolies in world trade).

From home she sends out boat-loads of tulips, dairy products, airplanes and machinery. She sends boats, too. Not the fat-bottomed three-masters of old, but sleek powerboats, now.

Holland's 8 millions live on land little bigger than Maryland. And yet they have one of the highest living standards in Europe. No slums. No illiteracy. The Dutch saw the need for housing laws back in 1901, when the United States was still punch-drunk from the bonanza dreams. Now it's a rare Dutch worker who doesn't have at least four rooms and kitchen.

Way back in 1874 the Dutch put restrictions on child labor. In 1919 they cut the working day to eight hours, and passed old age pension laws. In 1921 they set up workmen's compensation and sick benefits.

How to Pronounce the War's Names

Here Is a List of Europe's Tongue-Twisters

The pronunciation of many of the places in the war news can only be approximated by the English tongue. Authorities offer these approximations:

AACHEN Ah'ken
AMIENS Ahm'enz
ARLON Ah' long
AMERSMOORT Ahm'ers fort
ANTWERP Ahn'vaer'
ARDENNES Ar den'
BASTOGNE Bass ton'ye
BRUGES Bro'jez
BRUSSELS Breus sel'
DINANT Dee nan'
DUNKERQUE Dun' kirk
FIBEN EMAEL Eben' En eel'
EUPEN U' pen
GRONINGEN Gro'ning en
IJSELMEER Iis' al mair
LEVDEN Ly' den
LIEGE Le ayz'
LILLE Lill
LOUVAIN Loo' van
MAASTRICHT Maish' trikt
MALINES Mah' leen'
MAUBEGE Mo bush'
MEUSE Muhrs
NAMUR Nah' meur'
NIMEGEN Nah' gen'
NEUFCHATEAU New sha toe'
OSTEND Ost end'
REIMS Rheus
SOISSONS Swah' son'e
UTRFCHT U' trekt
VEREUN Var dun'
WAAL Wali
YPERES Ec' pr
ZEEBRUGGE Zee' broog uh
ZUIDER ZEE Zee' der zay'

Ferns grow so large in the Philippines that their trunks are used for telegraph poles.

Saenger—Thursday and Friday



David Niven and Loretta Young take time out for a romantic interlude during the action of "Eternally Yours."

the book of Matthew. The president, Mrs. Henry Pickard, called the house to order. The discussion was about the Better Homes Tour and the meeting was then turned over to Miss Fletcher, the home demonstration agent. She discussed the tour with the group. A committee was appointed to direct the tour.

Mrs. D. O. Silvey gave an interesting talk on food and nutrition. Two very interesting games were played and Miss Beryl Pickard won both of them. The prizes were small ornaments for a what-not shelf.

The hostess then served a delicious meal. The meeting adjourned to meet the fourth Wednesday in May at the home of Mrs. C. A. Powell.

Shoer Springs

The Shoer Springs Home Demonstration club met with Mrs. Harold Sanford, May 13th, with 9 members, three new members and 1 visitor present.

The meeting was called to order by the president. The devotional was read by the hostess from the 12th chapter of John. This was followed by the Lord's prayer in unison. The month's song "Old Black Joe" was sung.

The matriarch program was discussed and several applications were distributed.

A poem "Modernization" was read by Mrs. Sanford, who also modeled a shirt and slacks made from feed sacks.

Mrs. M. A. Huenbee gave a demonstration on making ties and also brought some receipts on quick rolls and angel food cake.

At the conclusion of the meeting, delightful refreshments were enjoyed. The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. Joe England in June.

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